

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

After the foregoing amendments, claims 2, 3 and 5 are currently pending in this application. Claims 1 and 4 have been canceled without prejudice. Claims 2, 3 and 5 have been amended. Applicants submit that no new matter has been introduced into the application by these amendments.

Claim Objections and Allowable Subject Matter

The Examiner objected to claims 2 and 3 as being dependent upon a rejected base claim but stated that these claims would be allowable if rewritten in independent form to include all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating the allowable subject matter. Claims 2 and 3 have been amended to include the limitations of claim 1. Therefore, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 2 and 3 are allowable.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102(e)

Claims 1, 4, and 5 stand rejected under 35 USC § 102(e) as being anticipated by Doorhy et al. (RE38,519). Claims 1 and 4 have been canceled without prejudice. Claim 5 has been amended to include the allowable features of claims 2 and 3. Based on the foregoing arguments, withdrawal of the 35 USC § 102(e) rejection of claim 5 is respectfully requested.

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Conclusion

If the Examiner believes that any additional minor formal matters need to be addressed in order to place this application in condition for allowance, or that an interview will materially advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the Examiner's convenience.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application, including claims 2, 3 and 5, is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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